

A GREAT DAY FOR PURPLE

THE AHEARN ASSOCIATION, 2,000 STRONG, HAS ITS OUTING.**Banana Wave Them Off; Bands of Music Enter the House at Donnelly's Grove, and Fireworks Illustrate Their Return.**

With banners flying, crowds cheering, and bands playing the John F. Ahern Association, 1,500 strong, marched out of the Fourth Assembly district early yesterday morning bound on their annual outing to Donnelly's Grove, College Point. Traffic was suspended along the line of march as the purple silk badges of the association awoke it.

At the foot of Gouverneur street the throng boarded the steamboat Crystal Stream and a barge, and soon the greatest Democratic association of the Fourth district was afoot. They were a jolly crowd and the fun was well under way before they piled-mall off to bat at College Point. Breakfast was the first thing on the programme, and fully 3,500 plates were laid.

This number was increased to almost 2,000 as other members of the influx of members, who kept arriving all day long by train. Conspicuous among those who occupied seats of honor at the tables were Congressman Timothy J. Campbell, Senator Bill Brown, Police Justice Doctor, Timothy D. Sullivan, Silver Dollar Smith, Police Justice John R. Voorhis, Police Commissioners McLeavey and Martin, Aldermen Tait, Noonan, Brown, and Clancy, Fire Commissioners Robbins and Purroy, Dock Commissioner J. C. Cane, Commissioner Albert Galion, Thomas Brady, President Koch of the Excise Board, Bernard F. Martin, John J. Ryan, Patrick Kearny, and Frank Murphy, and the like.

Among the letters of regret received was this from Grover Cleveland:

GRAY GABLE, Bazaar's Bay, Sept. 22.

My Dear Sir.—I beg to return my sincere thanks for your kind invitation to the great American Association on the 27th inst. It would give me great satisfaction to be present at the meeting, but I am unable to do so. I am very poor, but my engagements and occupations here oblige me to forego the pleasure.

I will, however, send you the hearty assurance contained in your letter accompanying your invitation, and hope that you will accept my apologies for the omission, and appreciate fully the value of the report and look forward to the very best results to follow the success of the New York exhibition.

Grover Cleveland.

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highest authorities in Paris and London, as well as other Novelties of our direct importation.

Lord & Taylor
Broadway & 20th St.**Gilmire's Band Will Go On.**

St. Louis, Sept. 28.—At a meeting of the military band led by the late P. S. Gilmore and Business Manager J. H. Lane, it was decided, with the approval of Mrs. P. S. Gilmore, to continue the organization under its old name, with Sergeant Charles W. Freudenberg as director and Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore as proprietors. The band will play at the Grand Exposition, necessary arrangements with Mrs. Gilmore. The band will complete its engagements at the St. Louis Exposition and carry out the plans of Gilmore for its winter concert tour.

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ANY ONE LOOKING OVER OUR STOCK OF FURNITURE CAN SEE THAT OUR GREAT MANUFACTURING FACILITIES ENABLE US TO SELL OFTEN AT 20 PER CENT. LESS THAN THOSE THAT BUY INSTEAD OF MAKING THEIR SUPPLY. EVERY PIECE MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES AT LOWEST PRICE AT HOME, AND IF NOT QUICKLY SOLD AT HOME, WILL BE SHIPPED TO THE TRADE OR PUT UP UNTIL SOME ONE TAKES THE BARGAIN.

ONLY SAMPLES ARE KEPT IN THE SHOWROOMS, THE VARIETY BEING SO GREAT, INCLUDING THE NEATEST AND ALSO THE MOST ELEGANT GOODS THAT CAN BE MADE.

BUY OF THE MAKER AND MAKE MY IT.**GEO. C. FLINT CO.,**
FURNITURE MAKERS.
104, 106, 108 WEST 14TH ST.**Select Board.**

East Side.

WYNDELL, HENRY—**NO. 100** stone to bridge—Large and small nicely furnished rooms; board; also table boarders.**91ST ST.—100 EAST**—Large and small rooms, with or without boarders.**10TH ST.—34 EAST**—Large, pleasant, sunny rooms; 10 excellent; board; convenience; terms moderate; also table board.**11TH ST.—100 EAST**—Extra-large room, with alcove, 4 events; 25 board; hot and cold water.**24TH ST.—20 EAST**—Handsome furnished rooms; 20 for two gentlemen; with board; also small rooms.**29TH ST.—11 EAST**—Nicely furnished rooms; large and small; terms unassured; excellent; transient table board.**38TH ST.—100 EAST**—Large, nicely furnished rooms; 20 for two gentlemen; with board; also small rooms.**53RD ST.—201 EAST**—Bearly good rooms for few days; 20 for two gentlemen; with board; also small rooms.**84TH ST.—229 EAST**—Well-furnished rooms, large and small; good table board.**129TH ST.—61 EAST**—Large airy rooms, front and back; 20 for two gentlemen; with board; also small rooms; convenient to 14th Street.**130TH ST.—62 EAST**—Large airy rooms, front and back; 20 for two gentlemen; with board; also small rooms.**JOHN ROSS, 8 GREENE STREET.****Under that** **Style Young** **Eddie Ross Said \$55,000 Worth of Stolen Goods for \$5,000.**

Eddie K. Ross, a good-looking young fellow of 21, has been employed as an entry clerk and salesman for the past six years by Ahearn & Busch, importers of dry goods and commission merchants at 92 Grand street. For some time past the young man's mode of living has been a subject of conversation among his fellow clerks. His clothes, and he wore a very neat allover, were of the very best material and the latest cut. He always had plenty of money and spent it freely. At every opportunity he visited the race track, and was known to have lost a good deal of money there. He was also a regular patron of the city pool rooms. Whether he won or lost, however, young Ross was always in the best of spirits. He confided to a fellow clerk one day that he was in receipt of a regular income, and worked more to keep himself engaged during the day time than for anything else. This confidential communication spread with great rapidity among the other salesmen, and Ross was looked upon with envy. There is not a man in the employ of the firm, however, that envies Ross now, for he was arrested yesterday on a bench warrant, having been indicted by the Grand Jury for grand larceny in the second degree.

Some weeks ago his employers received a letter from a customer asking them why certain goods had not been delivered. The firm replied that their books did not show that they had sold him any goods, whereupon the customer nobbed up with a receipted bill, to which was attached the signature of their young entry clerk. The firm had always had the greatest confidence in Ross, and considered him one of their most honest employees. Accordingly, when Ross explained matter-of-fact saying that he had neglected to enter the sale and would immediately forward the goods, the firm accepted his explanation and was about the matter. After this other letters of a similar character began to come in from impatient customers. Ross's excuse was that he was sick, and the firm found out the truth of the matter quietly but a detective on his track. The young man's mode of living told against him, and an investigation was made, and for reputable firms, he slipped the guilty secret to a detective, who offered himself as an agent for his wife, Toreas, and does business as a jobber at 337 Church street, though presented a bill for the goods. The firm, however, was not satisfied with this explanation, and committed Rothschild to the police, and he was held for one month back selling goods to friendly retailers at 20 per cent. on cash payment. He was accused, and immediately broke down, and what was learned in other ways by Detective Sergeant Trainor, who arrested him, soon pursued a system in his mind to get rid of the boy. Under the name of John Ross, 8 Greene street, and when goods were ordered and paid for by reputable firms, he slipped the guilty secret to a detective, who offered himself as an agent for his wife, Toreas, and does business as a jobber at 337 Church street, though presented a bill for the goods. 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